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"FOOTBALL PROSPECT IS GOOD"—SCHULTE

Tiger Mentor Says Men Must Train Fast For Washington Game.

13 M MEN TO RETURN

Veterans Are Already on Rollins Field Getting in Condition.

"Football prospects at Missouri look better than for years, but we can't say anything very definite about the team until the men show up for practice next Monday."

These words sum up the impression of H. F. Schulte, who is to coach the Tigers this fall. Mr. Schulte arrived in town last night and when seen by a Missourian reporter this morning it was difficult to get him to talk about anything but Simpson's wonderful performance at Newark last Saturday.

He did give out a few things for football followers to think about, however. Here they are:

"It all depends on the condition of the men when they report next week. If they are in good shape we should be able to turn out a good team this fall, but if all the veterans are soft and flabby, we may have difficulty in getting them into condition for the first games."

"And with the annual contest with Washington only four weeks away, we may have to do some fast training in order to present a hardened team. And don't forget that the bunch from the St. Louis school are expecting to clean up again this year. They have lost Lewis, of course, but there are plenty of men to take his place. It all means, though, that the Tigers must be at top speed within a month."

Neither Schulte nor Brewer is saying much about football this year, but both are sitting back with that air which says: "Wait and see." And Tiger fans have every reason to put their confidence in these men, for, with only three or four veterans last year, they developed a bunch of sophomores and green men that gave Kansas a stiff battle.

This year, with thirteen of the seventeen M men back and with a promising bunch of subs and scrubs left from last season, chances seem good for an eleven that will make a good showing with the other Missouri Valley teams. Captain Lansing will be back in the game, after staying on the sidelines all of last season with injuries. He will bolster up the center of the line.

Stankowski, Pittam, Rider, White and Rutledge of last year's backfield men will be back while Groves, Preston, Van Dyne, McAnaw, Hamilton and Muir will be veteran line men. Giltner will be the only one of the ends to return.

Haines, one of the best punters on the squad last season, is a good prospect for the team. Several of last year's freshmen may break in the line-up this season, but their chances will be determined later.

Several of the veterans who have been in Columbia all summer have already appeared on Rollins Field and are kicking the pigskin around just to limber up a little before the regular practice starts next Monday. Others will join them the latter part of the week and perhaps Schulte himself will stroll out there just to look them over and tell the flabby ones to do some running and other hard work to get into condition.

"BOB" MAY HURDLE IN EUROPE

A. A. U. Invites M. U. Hurdler to Take Foreign Trip.

"Bob Simpson will hurdle in Europe this fall if his University work can be arranged," said Director Brewer this morning, "it is a great opportunity and a great honor to have him named as one of the four men to take the trip, and, if he can go without losing out in his studies, he should make the trip."

Missouri's world's champion hurdler has been named by A. A. U. officials as one of the American team to go to Sweden, Norway and Denmark to take part in invitation meets in those countries next month. The other three selected are: Murray, the Stanford runner, who won the high hurdles last year at San Francisco and the low hurdles this year at Newark; Meredith of Pennsylvania, the star quarter-mile; Loomis of Chicago, a hurdler and sprinter. Mucks of

TODAY'S BASEBALL RESULTS

National League.

At St. Louis—Cardinals 7, Philadelphia 4; (first game.)

Wisconsin was invited, but he can not make the trip.

Simpson will arrive in Columbia within the next day or two and will make arrangements for his trip at that time. If he goes, he will have to leave at once, as the meets take place on October 12, 14 and 21 at Christiana, Copenhagen and Stockholm.

TO RE-FORM CABINET

Greek Premier Withdraws Resignation—New Ministry Will Be Pro-Ally.

By United Press.

LONDON, Sept. 12.—The Greek cabinet crisis took a new turn this evening after King Constantine had accepted the resignation of Premier Zaimis, said a Central News dispatch from Athens tonight.

Zaimis finally yielded to persuasion of his friends and withdrew his resignation, with the king's consent. He will reform the cabinet with new ministers of war and interior, supposedly of pro-Ally sympathies.

Greece May Join Allies.

By United Press.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—King Constantine has accepted the resignation of Premier Zaimis, and the formation of a new pro-Ally cabinet is under way, said dispatches from Athens this evening. M. Stratos, a former member of the Venizelos cabinet, has been instructed to sound prominent politicians relative to the formation of a new ministry. London correspondents at Athens profess confidence that the new war ministry will be formed and that Greece will join the Allies shortly.

PROF. EMBERSON INJURED

Attempt to Board Moving Automobile Results in Accident.

Prof. R. H. Emberson of the College of Agriculture suffered a bruise on his left knee and an injury to his foot early this afternoon when he fell under an automobile near Brown's Station.

He was returning to Columbia, when a bad culvert was reached, and Professor Emberson got out of the car in order for the driver to more easily cross the culvert. When he attempted to jump into the moving car, the door opened and knocked him under the wheels. He was not seriously injured.

Professor Emberson was injured in an accident on College avenue three years ago, when an automobile hit the buggy in which he, his wife, and baby were riding.

TRAIL IS NOW MARKED

Doctor Cole Completed Work Today; Marker For University.

"We finished putting up the Old Trail signs in Boone County just in time," said Dr. J. B. Cole, this afternoon who has had charge of this work. "The officials came through today from New York, and reported that the signs were up along the entire road. The signs were distributed this week in this county."

Dr. Cole will put a marker at the corner of Eighth and Broadway, pointing to the University. There are many tourists who pass through this city and never know that the University of Missouri is in Columbia.

Niedermeyer to Kemper.

Pierce Niedermeyer, son of F. W. Niedermeyer, left this afternoon for Kemper Military Academy to complete his senior year. Niedermeyer was there last year, and both in his military and his scholastic work his record was excellent. He wants to go to West Point next year, and will try for an appointment.

Spannell Indicted For Murdering 2.

ALPINE, Tex., Sept. 13.—Harry J. Spannell was indicted by the county grand jury today on a charge of murdering his wife and William Butler, an officer in the United States army, here the night of July 20. A warrant was issued and Spannell will be brought here for arraignment tomorrow.

125 Cities Want Armor Plate Plant.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 13.—The claims of 125 cities were poured into the ears of the navy board charged with the job of picking a site for the government \$11,000,000 armor plate plant today.

KAISER'S CONFERENCE WILL UNIFY DEFENSE

War Council at Eastern Headquarters Is of Great Importance.

BULGARS TO QUIT

Dispatches Indicate Germans Are Holding King Ferdinand as Hostage.

By United Press.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—The combined great offensive of the Allies will be met by the combined great defenses of the Central Powers, who will swing to the attack when the proper time comes.

The great war council now being held at the Kaiser's headquarters on the East front is for the purpose of unifying the direction of all military movements by armies of the Central Powers.

Diplomats of Central Powers Meet.

By United Press.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The greatest importance is being attached to the present conference at the Kaiser's headquarters on the Eastern front by correspondents stationed in Holland and Switzerland.

Besides the Kaiser, Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, King Ferdinand and the crown prince Boris of Bulgaria and Enver Pasha, Turkish war minister, several leading diplomats of the Central Powers are in consultation.

The Amsterdam correspondent of the exchange telegraph reported that the German counsellor will reveal some of the results of the conference when he opens up the next Reichstag, September 28.

Rome heard from Swiss sources this evening that the Kaiser called the conference because he was troubled by hints that Bulgaria was threatening to sue for separate peace. One report said that the Kaiser ordered King Ferdinand to attend the conference with the crown prince as hostages, to give assurance that Bulgaria would not abandon the German forces within her borders to attacks by the Allies.

TO DECIDE ON NEW M. E. CHURCH

Rev. Grimes Attends Conference Which Would Approve Building.

The Rev. C. C. Grimes left this morning to attend the annual meeting of the Southwest Missouri Methodist Conference in Kansas City. When asked about the probable attitude of the conference toward the proposed \$125,000 Methodist Church for Columbia, Mr. Grimes said, "The chances of favorable action are pretty good. If the conference approves of the proposition and gives us permission to solicit donations from their territory, the church will be more than a mere possibility."

The idea has been discussed for the last three years, but definite action had not been taken until the Missouri Conference meeting at Fayette the first week of this month recommended the proposition.

The proposed church would accommodate the local members and the hundreds of Methodist students who come here. The Reverend Grimes will return Friday. W. L. Halberstadt, Jr., the student pastor, is in charge during his absence.

DR. MILLER TO SPEAK TOMORROW

Commercial Club Will Hear of Work of Anti-Tuberculosis Society.

Dr. Water McNab Miller will make the address before the Commercial Club at 12 o'clock tomorrow at the weekly luncheon at Harris'.

He will speak on "The Significance of the Work of the Anti-Tuberculosis Society of Columbia."

New Dormitory For Christian College.

One hundred and forty resident students registered at Christian College, have made necessary an additional dormitory for the school. The management of the college has leased from Mrs. W. B. Palmer at 812 Rogers street, her eleven room residence, furnished. A group of ten faculty members and officials have been assigned to this residence.

Confederate Veterans at Fulton.

FULTON, Mo., Sept. 13.—The annual reunion of Confederate veterans of Callaway and adjoining counties opened last night with a camp meeting and will continue until Thursday. Senator James A. Reed and Prosecuting Attorney Nick Cave are to deliver addresses tomorrow.

MANY M. U. STUDENTS ARRIVE IN COLUMBIA

More Than 200 of "Advance Guard" Are On Hand.

GIRLS SCHOOLS OPEN

Both Stephens and Christian Have Record Enrollment.

Columbia is increasing in population with the arrival of every train.

More than 100 students arrived in Columbia today and there have been a few drifting in for several days, bringing the total up to more than 200 who have already arrived for the year's work. The streets are once more alive with strange faces, and the old students are greeting old friends on every corner. The annual arrival of that species, commonly known as "freshman" is very much in evidence, as they come a few days early so as to be well acquainted with the city in order to pass as old students. Some are accompanied by parents, who hate to part with the "hopeful," while others come with a bold front, but a quaking heart.

The majority of new students enter Columbia from Tenth street to Broadway, then to Eighth street down the main "drag," and south to the Y. M. C. They have heard of this institution, and from this center of activities, they must radiate.

The morning trains brought in about 50 students, the majority of them college girls, especially those entering Stephens' College, which opens tomorrow.

"We have about 150 here now," said President Woods, of Stephens' College, this afternoon. "We are expecting the remaining ones in tonight, in order to be here for the opening tomorrow morning. We have dormitories filled to extreme capacity."

The local Stephens' College Alumni Association will entertain the new students from 4 to 6 o'clock this afternoon with an automobile ride over the city and surrounding country.

Christian College will not begin classes until Friday morning. About 50 students have arrived, and a special will arrive at 7:10 o'clock tonight from St. Louis. At 2:35 o'clock tomorrow afternoon a special will arrive over the Katy from the South, and at 7:10 o'clock tomorrow night the last special will arrive over the Wabash from Kansas City. When these trains are in, there will be about 200 students here, and the college will be filled to capacity.

Since the University does not open until Monday, the students, and especially the older ones, will not arrive until later in the week. There will be many come by automobile from nearby towns.

WILL ORGANIZE OIL COMPANY

Real Estate Men Decide on Permanent Corporation.

Columbia real estate men who are interested in the section of land north of town supposed to have enough oil upon it for commercial purposes, will meet at three o'clock tomorrow afternoon to affect a permanent organization, decide on the corporation name, whether the corporation will be a state or county corporation, how much stock will be issued, the amount of capitalization, and other matters that will facilitate the starting of actual work.

Leases are being bought steadily, and with the company formally organized work will go on with a rush.

ODD FELLOWS TO CENTRALIA

Annual County Lodge Convention Will Be Held Tuesday.

The Oddfellows of Boone County will hold their annual convention at Centralia Tuesday.

Arrangements have been made by the Oddfellows of Columbia to run a special train, leaving here about 1 o'clock on the day of the meeting, returning to Columbia that night. In addition to the county lodges a number of state officers will go to Centralia to address the meeting.

C. W. B. M. To Meet Thursday.

The members and friends of the auxiliary to the Christian Women's Board of Missions of the Christian Church are requested to be present at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the regular monthly meeting of the organization. A special program for the observance of Tribute Day will be given.

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and Vicinity: Fair tonight and Thursday; a little warmer tonight, and cooler Thursday.

For Missouri: Fair tonight and Thursday; warmer north and west portions tonight; cooler Thursday.

Weather Conditions. Except a disturbance in the Gulf of Mexico, and a moderate atmospheric depression in the Dakotas and Manitoba, high pressure dominates the weather in the United States.

During the past twenty-four hours showers occurred over the western cotton region, up the Mississippi River to Minnesota, and from eastern South Dakota eastward to Lake Michigan. Other areas comprised the South Atlantic slope from Florida to Virginia, and Montana and adjacent Canadian sections.

Pleasant temperatures obtain everywhere. Light frosts formed last night in parts of Colorado, Utah, Nevada, Idaho, Montana, and Alberta.

Mostly fair and cool weather is indicated for Columbia for the next two or three days.

Local Data.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 73, and the lowest last night was 53; precipitation, .00; relative humidity 2 p. m. yesterday, 70 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 89, and the lowest 71; precipitation, .40.

The Almanac.

Sun rose today, 5:49 a. m. Sun sets, 6:21 p. m.

Moon rises 7:03 p. m.

The Temperatures Today.

7 a. m. 53 11 a. m. 68

8 a. m. 58 12 m. 70

9 a. m. 63 1 p. m. 71

10 a. m. 66 2 p. m. 73

BIG RALLY PLANNED

Many Visitors Will Be In Columbia Monday Says J. E. Boggs.

"The only trouble we expect to have at the big Democratic Rally Monday will be in the handling of the crowd," said J. E. Boggs, state committeeman, this morning. "As this is the only rally to be held in this part of the state, we will have representatives from many counties. The program will start promptly at 1:20 o'clock, as many of the speakers will leave the same day."

The tent will arrive the last of this week, and will be pitched on the court house lawn. Barrels of ice water will be placed at advantageous places, and a band stand will be erected, from which the musicians will pour forth patriotic airs, mingled with campaign "ditties." The celebration will include the main attractions of vaudeville, chautauqua, and circus, to which will be added many of the best known leaders of national politics. A band from out of town will furnish the music for the rally.

The railroads will put on special coaches for the day, and hundreds are expected to come by automobile from adjacent cities. It will be necessary for the citizens of Columbia to assist in the entertainment of the visitors, for 10,000 people are expected to take part in the celebration.

Vice-President Marshall is booked to head the speakers.

MINNEOLA HILLS ARE BAD

So Says Robert Bruce, Inspector of Old Trails Route.

That the Mineola Hills are the worst roads on the Old Trails route between New York and Columbia is the opinion of Robert Bruce of Utica, N. Y., who motored through here last night en route to Herrington, Kan. to attend the national convention of the Old Trails Road Association.

Mr. Bruce, who has been connected with the Old Trails Road Association as the inspector of the route for several years, came through here to see that the markers in this section were up. Since the markers have been placed in Boone County, Mr. Bruce reports that the complete system of guides have been erected on the entire route from New York to San Francisco, a distance of 3,600. He said that with the exception of the Mineola Hills he found the roads between here and New York in good condition.

ROLLA STUDENTS BAR HAZING

Action Does Away With Practice in All Divisions of University.

ROLLA, Mo., Sept. 13.—At a mass meeting of the sophomore class of the School of Mines yesterday, the class voted unanimously to abolish the hazing of freshmen. The annual class contest, known as "Green Cap Day," however, will be held next Monday.

Last year the sophomores of the University of Missouri, at Columbia, took the same action at a mass meeting called for the purpose. This action at Rolla does away with hazing in all divisions of the University.

Dr. W. Kampschmidt Buys A Car. The E. C. Clinkscales garage delivered a Ford sedan to Dr. W. Kampschmidt yesterday.

GERMAN THIRD LINE TRENCHES CAPTURED

French Advance in Drive Between Peronne and Combles.

NO GAIN AT VERDUN

Italian Troops Join Balkan Offensive—Serbians Continue Success.

By United Press.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—Continuing their great drive on the front of Combles and Peronne, the French last night captured the whole of the village of Bouchavesnes, midway between Combles and Peronne, despite the Germans' desperate resistance.

Early today the French pushed further eastward, capturing the Labe farm near the Peronne highway by a brilliant bayonet charge.

The French gains in the great attacks that began yesterday afternoon are of the greatest importance. The positions carried are the last of the strongly fortified German third lines of defence between Combles and Peronne.

All the positions now held by the Germans back of this line have been built under fire and consequently are not nearly as strong as the other lines.

French Advance Checked.

By United Press.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—French troops penetrated the village of Bouchavesnes, between Combles and Peronne, in heavy fighting last night, but were repulsed in attacks near Thlaumont on the northeastern Verdun front, it was announced officially this afternoon.

Russian attacks between the Distripa River and Smotree on the Bukovina frontier were repulsed with heaviest losses, it was further announced.

No Change on British Front.

By United Press.

LONDON, Sept. 13.—The situation on the British front as the result of last night's operations is unchanged. General Haig reported this afternoon.

Italy Gains Offensive in Greece.

By United Press.

PARIS, Sept. 13.—Italian troops have joined in the general offensive in Greece and are fighting near Butkovo, it was officially announced today. Despite heavy Bulgarian resistance, the Serbs are continuing their advance. They have occupied an important position north of Covic and are advancing south. In the region south of Lake Ostrovo the French made an important advance. Allied artillery is bombarding enemy positions on both sides of the Vardar.

Austro-Germans Fall in Offensive.

By United Press.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 13.—The Austro-Germans made unsuccessful attempts yesterday to take the offensive in the Halitz region by crossing the Bistripa River, it was announced tonight.

Bulgars and Italians Clash.

By United Press.

BERLIN, Sept. 13.—In the first encounter between Bulgarian and Italian troops of the present war, two Italian companies were defeated near the Dzumy, and many prisoners taken by the Bulgars.

COLUMBIA HAS 30 BOY SCOUTS

Nine Have Passed Second-Class Tests.

Says Scout Master Johnson.

Thirty Columbia Boy Scouts are regularly enrolled and paid up for this year, Prof. O. R. Johnson, Scout Master, announced this morning. Last year more than forty Scouts were enrolled, but several have quit and one or two were discharged.

Nine of the thirty Scouts are Second-class Scouts and the others are Tenderfeet. Some of the Second-class Scouts have taken part of their examinations for First-class ranking but have not yet passed all the examinations, Professor Johnson reported.

Baseball Star Gets License.

A marriage license was issued today to Edward Payton Burnett and Miss Ara Etta Nichols, both of Ashland. Burnett is known to the baseball fans of this city as the pitcher who recently shut out the Wabash team of St. Louis in their game against the Columbia Browns.